

Docket No.: 62758-071

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277

TAKAGI, TAROU : Confirmation Number:

Serial No.: Continuation of Appl. No.  
10/239,058 : Group Art Unit:

Filed: March 23, 2004 : Examiner:

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DESCRIBING SOLID SHAPES, AND CAD/CAM  
SYSTEM WHICH EMPLOYS THE METHOD

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Preliminary Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, please amend the specification  
and claims as follows.